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OUT-OF-STATE WHOLESALE DRUG DISTRIBUTORS

The Alaska Board of Pharmacy requires registration of a pharmacy located outside of the state ONLY if that pharmacy ships, mails, or delivers prescription drugs to consumers in the state (AS 08.80.158).

An out-of-state license is required for a pharmacy located outside of the state that is providing prescription drugs or related devices *directly to patients in Alaska*.

A license as a wholesale drug distributor is required for a facility engaged in wholesale distribution of drugs or related devices *from a site in Alaska*.

A facility engaged *only in wholesale* operations at a *site outside of Alaska* is not required to register with the Alaska Board of Pharmacy. The facility must be registered in the jurisdiction where the facility is located, and must be registered with the DEA, if distributing controlled substances. The facility must comply with all applicable statutes and regulations.

All facilities doing businesses in the State of Alaska are required to obtain a business license. You may wish to access the business license application through our web site: www.dced.state.ak.us/occ. When applying for the business license, you may be using one or both of the following activity codes: 4222 - Drug Wholesalers, 4214 - Professional Equipment Wholesalers If you have questions about business licensing, please call their office at (907) 465-2550.